



CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF
WATER RESOURCES



Delta Conveyance Environmental Review Initiated and Public Scoping Meetings Scheduled

January 15, 2020 – The Department of Water Resources (DWR) today released a Notice of Preparation (NOP) for the development of an Environmental Impact Report (EIR) for modernized water infrastructure in the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta, initiating the environmental review process under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). The NOP signals the start of the scoping period, providing an opportunity for public and agency comment on the scope and content of the CEQA review, including the potential environmental impacts of a proposed single tunnel conveyance project and range of alternatives that will be analyzed in the EIR. Modernizing Delta conveyance is part of the state's Water Resilience Portfolio, which describes the framework to address California's water challenges and support long-term water resilience and ecosystem health.

The NOP and related availability and informational materials can be viewed via the following link:
<https://water.ca.gov/Programs/State-Water-Project/Delta-Conveyance/Environmental-Planning>

A hard copy of the NOP may be requested via email at: deltaconveyance@water.ca.gov

Public participation is an important component of the environmental review process, providing an opportunity for public and community input to be reflected in development of the EIR. **DWR is currently accepting comments on the scope of the EIR through March 20, 2020.**

Comments can be emailed to: DeltaConveyanceScoping@water.ca.gov

In addition, written comments can be mailed to:

Delta Conveyance Scoping Comments
Attn: Renee Rodriguez, Department of Water Resources
P.O. Box 942836, Sacramento CA 94236

Delta Conveyance: Environmental Review Public Scoping Meetings Schedule

Several public scoping meetings will be held throughout the state as an opportunity to get information, ask questions and submit comments on the scope of the EIR.

SACRAMENTO

Monday, February 3, 2020
1 p.m. – 3 p.m.
CA EPA Building
1001 I Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

STOCKTON

Thursday, February 13, 2020
6 p.m. – 8 p.m.
San Joaquin Council of Governments,
Board Room
555 Weber Avenue
Stockton, CA 95202

LOS ANGELES

Wednesday, February 5, 2020
6 p.m. – 8 p.m.
Junipero Serra State Building
320 West Fourth Street
Los Angeles, CA 90013

CLARKSBURG

Wednesday, February 19, 2020
6 p.m. – 8 p.m.
Clarksburg Middle School Auditorium
52870 Netherlands Road
Clarksburg, CA 95612

WALNUT GROVE

Monday, February 10, 2020
6 p.m. – 8 p.m.
Jean Harvie Community Center
14273 River Road
Walnut Grove, CA 95690

BRENTWOOD

Thursday, February 20, 2020
6 p.m. – 8 p.m.
Brentwood Community Ctr, Conference
Room
35 Oak Street
Brentwood, CA 94513

SAN JOSE

Wednesday, February 12, 2020
6 p.m. – 8 p.m.
Santa Clara Valley Water District, Board Room
5750 Almaden Expressway
San Jose, CA 95118

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